

Master of Arts in Urban Design *

36 credits

The Master of Arts in Urban Design (MAUD) is a graduate degree to enhance professional credentials with a specialization in advanced environmental urban design. This graduate degree is for individuals with a Bachelor or Master of Architecture, a Bachelor or Master of Landscape Architecture, a Bachelor or Master of Interior Architecture, a Bachelor or Master of Science or Arts, a Bachelor or Master of Public Administration.

The MAUD is a 36- credit graduate degree program that enables students to pursue interdisciplinary studies in advanced environmental urban design. As an environmental design based program, the MAUD combines collaborative design instruction, applied research, and knowledge of urban theory, planning, and economics.

One year of full-time study in residency is normally required. Study abroad options are also available. Satisfactory completion of 36 credits in the following course of study is required.

Prerequisites for non-design degree students (Summer B Semester)

LAA 5605 Design Foundations, 3 credits
LAA 5346 Visual Notations in LSCP ARCH, 3 credits
LAA 5371 Computer Practices 1, 3 credits

First Year (Fall Semester)

LAA 6245 Theory of Urban Design, 3 credits
LAA 5331 Site Analysis of Design, 3 credits
PAD 6717 GIS Applications for Urban Management, 3 credits
PAD 5805 Economic Development and Urban Revitalization, 3 credits

First Year (Spring Semester)

LAA 6656 Landscape Architecture Graduate Design 4, 6 credits
LAA5249 Catalysts of the Urban Canvas, 3 credits
URP 6315 Introduction to Urban Planning and Growth Management, 3 credits

First Year (Summer Semester or Second Year Fall Semester)

Directed Elective, 3 credits
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LAA 6970 Master's Project, 6 credits (Departmental Approval Required)

*Not eligible for accreditation by LAAB